

ALL DOGS TO BE QUARANTINED

Council Determined to Prevent Spread of Rabies

TO NAME NEW HEALTH BOARD

President Roseberry to Make Appointment at Next Meeting—Borough Vetoes Ordinance for Paving an Alley Because More Important Work is Demanded—Snug Balance in Treasury.

Borough council met last evening with eight members present and President Roseberry in the chair.

The borough treasurer reported the most little sum of \$16,057 in the treasury, and the chief of police reported that he had collected fines to the amount of \$12 in November. The borough solicitor turned in \$10.75.

Regarding the presence in the borough of several dogs which are believed to have been bitten by the mad dog that passed through the town some time ago council decided to establish a modified quarantine, but passed a resolution asking Dr. Winner, of the State Live Stock Sanitary board, which has charge of such matters, to establish a comprehensive quarantine taking all dogs in a territory four miles square. The chief of police was directed to lend every possible assistance to Dr. Winner in preventing the spread of rabies in the borough.

The borough solicitor told council that under a new act of assembly it is incumbent upon the borough council to appoint an entirely new board of health. President Roseberry stated that he would make the appointment at the next meeting of council and asked members of that body to suggest the names of citizens who would perform the duties of members of the board.

The secretary of the board of health reported that during November there were five cases of contagious disease—three of chicken pox and two of diphtheria; also that there had been no violations of the health rules during the month.

Citizens who allow the steam exhaust to drip into the gutters will be notified to make connections of steam pipes with sewers.

Burgess Woodward returned to council without his approval the ordinance provided for the paving of an alley leading from Third street to the intersecting alley between Pine and Reed streets. The burgess gave as his reasons for vetoing this ordinance that the alley was small and unimportant; that to pave it would benefit only private persons and not the public, and that there are other far more important improvements which should be made before the alleys are paved. He declared that he was opposed to frittering away the people's money on useless work when so many improvements of a public nature were demanding attention.

Secretary Connolly was directed to request the Penn Public Service company to turn on the street lights a half hour earlier in the evening and let them burn a half hour later in the morning. The lights now burn from 5:30 P. M. to 6:30 A. M.

Council then adjourned to meet on December 15, probably the last meeting until the reorganization of the new council on the first Monday in January.

Just in at William F. Powell's Hardware store on Second street a fine assortment of the "Pure Aluminum 1892 Ware", most acceptable as Christmas gifts. Come in and see "The Ware that Wears."

The first meeting of the Bridge club for the benefit of the Hospital will be held at the residence of R. C. Wright on Thursday, Dec. 11, at 3 o'clock. After the meetings will be every alternate Friday. All persons wishing to join will please send their names in early. 6t. Dec. 2.

Stenographer Wanted—Young man who is efficient in stenography and typewriting may secure a good position by applying at the office of the Chamber of Commerce of Clearfield. Nov. 29. 3t.

You will find all kinds of useful gifts for Christmas at William Powell's Hardware store. Why not be a Spieg?

SURPRISE PARTY

Given in Honor of Mrs. Charles Kurtz Saturday Evening.

On Saturday evening a birthday surprise party was given in honor of Mrs. Charles T. Kurtz, at her home on West Front street. The evening was spent in playing auction bridge. Delicious refreshments were served and a huge birthday cake decorated with candles adorned the center of the table.

The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Guernsey Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Liveright, Mrs. Will Kurtz, Miss Doreline, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Breck, Sewickly.

Ill of Ivy Poisoning.

Ex-Sheriff Mahaffey, of the Windsor hotel, is confined to his room suffering from ivy poisoning contracted while on a visit to Mahaffey.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS WILL HOLD MEETING

County Convention Fixed for December 17-18

The eleventh annual convention of the Clearfield County School Directors association will be held in connection with the county teachers institute will open on Wednesday, December 17 and last two days. The officers of the association are:

President—Rev. J. A. Beal.
Vice Presidents—B. P. Williams, Singleton Bell, Esq.
Secretary—A. G. Kramer, Esq.
Treasurer—George J. Weber.

The program follows:
Wednesday, 10:30 A. M. Enrollment of delegates, treasurer's report, president's address, election of officers.

Wednesday, 1:30 P. M.—Discussion "Should the tenth consecutive employment of a teacher in a district be a permanent employment in said district?" Opened by D. B. Hille, A. G.

Discussion, "Should the medical inspection in the third and fourth class districts be compulsory, the same as in the first and second class districts?" Opened by Dr. J. Frank Rowles, Dr. W. S. Bryan.

Discussion, "Should the parents of the children found defective by the medical inspector be required by law to make an effort to cure or relieve such defect; in case of inability of parents to do so, should the district be authorized to do so at public expense?" Opened by Perry Straw, Singleton Bell, Esq.

Thursday 9 A. M.—Discussion, "Would it be more beneficial to the teachers and to the schools to have the institute held at or about the commencement of the school term?" Opened by James Mitchell, George J. Weber.

Discussion, "The parents' responsibility to the school board in the enforcement of the compulsory school law." Opened by William Wingert, Joseph D. Knepp.

Discussion, "Should the directors receive a compensation of \$2 per day for 12 monthly meetings during the school year?" Opened by T. M. Davidson, William T. Thorp.

Report on teachers' and directors' monthly meetings, S. H. Sunderlin. Reports of committees.

CLOVER HILL

Miss Irene Hauck was in Clearfield Saturday.

G. Z. Ogden is here from the west visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Luella Bloom visited relatives at Curwensville a few days last week.

Misses Cora, Mary and Annie Ardary were shopping in Clearfield Saturday.

Mrs. Luella Bloom and two little daughters, Hazel and Wava called on Mrs. Amos Read Sunday afternoon.

The Misses Hummel and Miss Kirk spent Saturday evening with the McCracken young folks.

Misses Pearl Lippert and Ruth Mapes and Miss Long visited the Clover Hill school Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hemphill and son Dewhurst, from Hyde City, and their grand daughter, Dorothy Stubbs, from Clearfield, spent Thanksgiving with Amos Read and family.

Ireland.

The population of Ireland in 1941 was 281 to the square mile; now it is 144 only.

\$1,000,000,000

ASKED FOR

Many Increases For the Army and Navy.

WHAT THE CANAL HAS COST

Army Appropriations Include Military Aeronautics, Organized Militia, Fortifications and Artillery—Panama Canal Needs \$26,000,000 More—McAdoo Wants \$1,500,000 to Collect Income Tax and an Additional Assistant Secretary—Money Wanted For Investigations, Public Buildings and River and Harbor Work.

Washington, Dec. 2.—Congress is asked to appropriate just \$1,108,081,777 to operate the government of the United States during the fiscal year 1915, according to the estimates prepared by each department and sent to the house by W. G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury. This includes maintenance of the battleships and forts of the army, the courts of justice and the projects to discover new ways in which to better health and improve living conditions.

The estimates submitted are \$22,864,087 in excess of the appropriations for the last fiscal year, but their total falls \$39,255,068 below the estimates for that year. The estimates are as follows:

Legislative establishment	\$7,533,331
Executive establishment	20,808,268
Judicial establishment	1,242,110
Department of agriculture	19,063,332
Postoffice department, including parcel post	306,963,111
Foreign intercourse	4,447,042
Military establishment	106,397,544
Naval establishment	129,821,563
Indian affairs	10,238,886
Deacons	169,150,000
Public works	97,917,592
Miscellaneous	24,338,213
Permanent annual appropriations	123,196,407

For the preservation and completion of vessels already in commission or authorized the navy department wants \$3,250,000; for the hulls and machinery of two battleships and eight torpedo boat destroyers, which Secretary Daniels wishes to build in the fiscal year 1914-15, \$7,800,000 is wanted; for naval defense mines and other items of defense, \$10,091,000.

The estimates for the organized militia are larger by many millions than in previous years. Sums of \$1,350,000 for field camps of instruction, \$404,250 for equipment of coast artillery, armories, \$2,100,000 for field artillery material and \$3,000,000 for ammunition for such artillery are asked.

For armament in fortifications the estimate is \$5,806,800, an increase of more than \$3,000,000 over last year. This \$3,000,000 is to be expended in the purchase, manufacture and test of ammunition for mountain, field and siege cannon.

For Panama Canal. Although the Panama canal probably will be in operation long before the close of the fiscal year of 1915, the war department estimates that \$26,326,965 must be appropriated for the canal that year, which is about \$5,000,000 more than the current appropriation. According to the estimates, the number of the employees in the organization through the 1914 fiscal year was 22,000, while in the fiscal year of 1915 the number will be about 18,700.

Regular Term Begins. Congress has settled down to the second stage of what promises to be the longest continuous session in its history. The regular December session, following without a break upon the heels of the long extra session that has run since April 7, brought to tired lawmakers a host of new problems and the prospect of steady work for many months.

There was little formality about the ushering in of the new congress at noon. Its advent was marked by the fall of the gavel in each house, with the announcement of the presiding officer that the regular session of the Sixty-third congress had begun.

A widespread demand for tickets for the house gallery for Tuesday's session indicated the interest that centers about President Wilson's reappearance at the capital to deliver a presidential address. The president will read his first general message to congress at a joint session of the two houses, and it was expected that he would touch upon many of the problems to be taken up at the new session.

The senate practically merged the old session into the new one by meeting to wind up the work of the special session.

Serviceable Manicure Sets, Safety Razors, Pocket Knives, Scissors in sets, Chaffing Dishes, Electric Irons and Percolators have just been received at William Powell's Store on Second street, Dec. 2. 4t

Have you seen the new case of Bath room fixtures at William Powell's hardware store.

OBITUARY

Caroline, wife of William Goss, died at her home at Hastings, at 5 o'clock Tuesday evening, Nov. 8, of bright disease. Aged 70 years 1 month and 4 days.

Deceased's maiden name was Caroline Westbrook and she was born in Huntingdon on October 14, 1843. She was married to William Goss in Wallacetown, Clearfield county, on February 22, 1858. They came to Hastings in 1890 and have resided here for 23 years.

Besides her husband Mrs. Goss is survived by these children: Mrs. Marshall McHenry, of Hastings, Frank, of West Virginia, Mrs. Louis Stowe, of Brubbin, Elmer, of Ex-pedit, Mrs. Joseph Chase of Clearfield, Harry, of Clover; Jackson, of Garrett, and Mrs. Stephen Ross, of Ex-pedit. She is also survived by 43 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

The funeral services were held in the Methodist Episcopal church on Friday at ten o'clock, conducted by her pastor, Rev. W. F. D. Noble, who spoke of the religious life to the service of the Master.

She identified herself with the United Brethren church but not finding a church of that denomination in Hastings she joined the Methodist Episcopal church, of which she was a devoted member at the time of her death.

Thus for fifty-eight years she was a follower of the meek and lowly One and "she is not dead, but sleepeth."

ONLY FEW CASES DOWN FOR TRIAL

Mrs. John O. Keeler's Suit is Among Them

Of the cases down on the list to day the following were continued:

John Chase et al vs. New York Central and Hudson River Railroad company, trespass; Eva McCloskey et al vs. John M. Healey, trespass; F. B. Hewitt vs. Abbie Weed appeal; American Cash Register Co. vs. David Bailey, appeal; F. D. Beyer vs. Ella J. Mount, assumption; George J. Ferguson vs. R. H. Mull, assumption; St. Marys Sewer Pipe Co. vs. Cummings & Johnson, assumption; David Witherow, vs. Quinn & Co., incorporated, trespass.

Marked for trial—Louisa Moyer vs. Harry Poorman, appeal; Lane Coal Co. vs. Penfield Coal and Coke Co., assumption; George Koplan vs. Harry Schwartz, assumption; F. M. Swoope et al. vs. W. D. Walker, assumption; J. A. McClelland vs. William H. Hughes et al. ejectment; Mitchell Graffius vs. Williams-grove Brick Co., trespass; Annie Keeler vs. County of Clearfield, assumption.

For argument—W. C. Lukens vs. Dr. J. S. Waterworth, trespass. In the suit of Mrs. Annie Keeler against the county of Clearfield the plaintiff seeks to recover from the county the reward the county commissioners offered for the apprehension of her husband, the murderer of Joseph Roessner, the brewer, in the latter's brewery in Clearfield last year. The trial of this case will be watched with interest, in view of the fact that Mrs. Keeler's husband is now awaiting the death penalty in the county jail.

The case of Harris vs. Swoope the first to be placed on trial Monday occupied all of Monday afternoon and this morning. The case was given to the jury this afternoon.

DEATHS OF A DAY.

Thomas F. Kulewski, sixty-two, consulting engineer and inventor, died at New York city.

Herman Walker, sixty-three, died at Alpine, N. J. He was at one time mayor of Guttenberg, N. J.

Manager Giacchi of the Theatre Colon, at Buenos Aires, while at Milan, Italy, assembling a company, died there suddenly.

William Slaylock, seventy-eight, father of David H. Slaylock, mayor elect of Verona, N. J., died at Verona. He had lived there for fifty years.

Professor Edwinworth C. Phelps, eighty-six, well known composer, organist and music teacher in Brooklyn schools for over thirty-five years, is dead.

Samuel W. Beidon, fifty-three, a prominent New Jersey lawyer and chief counsel for the Fidelity Trust company of Newark, died at East Orange, N. J.

Terrence J. McDonald, sixty-nine, once a representative in the New Jersey legislature and past commander of the G. A. R. of that state, died at Jersey City.

HUERTA FLEES COUNTRY, REPORT

Dictator Said to Have Skipped Out of Mexico.

FEARED FATE OF MADERO.

Several Other Presidents of Mexico Have Fled Through Some Port Country in State of Tense Excitement Over Rumor—Constitutionalists Closing In on Capital.

Mexico City, Dec. 2.—General Victoriano Huerta, provisional president of Mexico, who has been defying President Wilson and the whole United States for several months, has fled from the capital, according to a report which came from a creditable source.

The hour of Huerta's departure is given as 4 o'clock in the morning, and his destination is said to be the port of Vera Cruz, from which many prominent Mexicans have sailed into exile. It was at Vera Cruz that General Porfirio Diaz, former president of Mexico, shook the dust of this country from his feet when Francisco I. Madero drew near Mexico City with his victorious army.

If the report of Huerta's flight is true it can mean nothing else than that he has decided to surrender to the United States and step down from the presidency of Mexico, the office which he seized shortly after the tragic death of President Madero and Vice President Suarez. President Wilson has demanded that Huerta quit the presidency and arrange that no one intimately associated with him be placed in the executive chair.

The whole capital was intensely excited over the rumor of Huerta's secret leave taking, and every one was awaiting confirmation of the report. The general belief was that the dictator reached the decision to surrender to the United States government upon realizing that he was unable to quell the revolution.

Hale Reports to Wilson.

Washington, Dec. 2.—Information as to just what manner of man Carranza, the Mexican Constitutional leader, really is and just what his plans are should his revolution succeed were to be placed before President Wilson by Dr. William Bayard Hale.

It developed that President Wilson sent Hale to northern Mexico to investigate reports that Carranza was merely a figurehead in the revolutionary movement.

Outside of the arrival of Dr. Hale there were no developments in the Mexican situation. The president told callers that the situation was working out exactly as he hoped. He believes that the elimination of Huerta is now a certainty.

Admiral Fletcher sent a wireless message to the navy department saying that he had received from General Aguilar, the rebel leader, renewed assurances that the property of foreigners in the Tuxpan oil region would be protected.

Setting Him Right.

They were enjoying a motor ride and had just entered a country road.

"May I kiss your hand?" he asked, a little confusedly.

She removed her veil.

"No," she replied. "I have my gloves on."—Lippincott's Magazine.

NEW INDICTMENTS ARE NOW EXPECTED

December Grand Jury in New York Hears Testimony.

New York, Dec. 2.—The indictment of at least one man, formerly of high rank in the police department, and possibly of two others of lesser importance was expected to be returned by the December grand jury, which was sworn in.

The evidence taken by the previous grand jury will be submitted by District Attorney Whitman or his assistant, Mr. Groehl. This evidence dealt with the operations of a retired police captain with the wireless wire tappers, who fleeced a Pittsburgh man out of \$20,000.

The district attorney is reported to have strong evidence against other men, but indictments against them may be held back in the hope that fresh evidence may develop after the indictment of the first police official.

Contrary to reports, James K. McGuire, formerly mayor of Syracuse, who has been indicted in the contractor graft probe, did not arrive in this city on board the New York and Porto Rico line steamship the Brazos, from Porto Rico.

MRS. CATT AND DR. SHAW

Leading Figures at 45th Annual Convention of American Suffragists.



Photos by American Press Association.

The forty-fifth annual convention of the National American Woman's Suffrage association is now in session in Washington. "All that we ask of men is what Disraeli asked of Alexander, and that is that they get out of our sunshine," said Dr. Anna Shaw, the president, in her opening address. Dr. Shaw is shown below in the picture, while at the top is Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, who is president of the International Suffrage association and likewise is taking a leading part in the convention. Mrs. Catt has recently started a new campaign for votes for women in New York state.

STOVER IS FOUND IN NEW ORLEANS

Report That Missing Man is Taking a Vacation.

New York, Dec. 2.—A dispatch received by an afternoon newspaper from New Orleans states that Charles B. Stover, the missing former park commissioner of this city, is there on a vacation and does not know when he will get back to New York. The dispatch says Stover expects to see Florida before starting north.

When he was questioned about his decidedly unusual manner of departure he is quoted as saying:

"I had been thinking of taking a vacation for some time before I started. I had had no vacation in seven or eight years of office, and I see no reason why such a vacation should have been made over my taking a rest. But I have settled that that now by sending my resignation as park commissioner to Mayor Kline."

According to the dispatch, Mr. Stover seems well and hearty and was much amused when he was told that some time after he disappeared some of his friends went to Wilmington, Del., to see if a body found in the river there was his. He merely remarked, "Foolish o. them, foolish!"

Commissioner Stover left his desk in the arsenal in Central park on Oct. 15, and, although his picture has been flashed in 10,000 moving picture places and news of his disappearance has gone all over the country, his whereabouts and the reason for his departure have hitherto remained a mystery.

On Nov. 22 former Commissioner of Licenses John N. Bognart was said to have been seen and talked with Mr. Stover in Washington.

TELEGRAPHIC TICKS.

Cincinnati saloons were closed Sunday for the first time in fifty years, due to a new license law.

Edward C. Manchester was captured in Newport, R. I. He killed his brother in North Dartmouth.

Edward Waddell was fatally shot in Philadelphia. It is believed he was mistaken for another.

Pencils, redistributed each morning to pupils, was held responsible for diphtheria epidemic at a Buffalo (Conn.) school.

Albert Goldring, Ernest Hilliard's partner, was held by Franklin (M. E.) authorities following Hilliard's death by shooting.

Mrs. Joseph Kestrock of Stevens Point, Wis., gave birth to her twenty-third child. "I want a nice large family," said her husband.

The Rev. J. E. Conner of North Hart-town, N. Y., gave a man \$5 to go and move his family. While the minister was in church the man returned and stole \$5 more.

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COMING EVENTS.

Bazaar, Y. M. C. A. hall, Dec. 6.
County Institute, Dec. 15-19.
Trinity Ladies Aid business meet-
ing, Dec. 4.
Y. M. C. A. Womens Auxiliary
meet to arrange for reception, Dec.
2.

Good evening! This would be a
pretty good evening upon which to
decide to do your Christmas shopping
tomorrow.

Almost any boy big enough to han-
dle a gun could give the state game
commission some reliable informa-
tion relative to game in this state
but such a boy would not go to the
game wardens for facts.

In the meantime, contribute some-
thing toward the support of the
Clearfield hospital and relieve that
institution of its present financial em-
barassment.

The fight between the two Democra-
tic factions in this state will center
upon the candidate for governor next
year. It's a much colder day than
this when the state Democrats are
not engaged in an intermachine strug-
gle for supremacy.

It is probable that the new em-
ployment law affecting women will be
amended in several features at the
next session of the legislature. As
the law now stands many women will
be out of work inside of a year.

Some would-be landlords will be
surprised when they learn that 1
quor licenses will not be handed out
by the wholesale next March.

Beautiful India.

India bears the same relation to the
orient that Italy does to Europe. It
is the home of palaces, temples and
monuments. It is the home of beautiful
art work in many materials. Most of
its cities have a splendid historical
past that is seen in richly ornament-
ed temples and shrines in the tombs
of its illustrious dead and in palaces
that surpass in beauty of decoration
anything which Europe can boast.
"The Critic in the Orient."

CHARLES BECKER.

Hopes For New Trial
Based on Testimony to
Be Given by Schepps.



Photos by American Press Association

On the decision by the court of appeals
in the Becker case rests the fate of the
condemned murderer. And on the confi-
dence placed in the testimony to be given
by Sam Schepps, Jack Rose's lobbyist,
will in a large measure depend whether
or not a new trial is to be granted. The
district attorney does not place much faith
in the new story by Schepps. Becker is
shown in the large picture, and below is
Schepps.

TREASURERS FILE THEIR ACCOUNTS

Over \$9000 Spent by Messrs.
Dimeling and Forsythe

Late Monday afternoon the state-
ments of two treasurers of com-
mittees appointed to aid in the elec-
tion of Singleton Bell to the judge-
ship were filed in the prothonotary's
office. John C. Forsythe, one of
these treasurers reported the con-
tribution of \$2565, of which George
M. Dimeling gave \$2065. The ex-
penditures under Mr. Forsythe's
management were as follows:

Labor performed and transporta-
tion, \$1500.
Stationery, postage and dissemina-
ting information, \$1065
The other committee, headed by
John Dimeling, received contributions
as follows:

George M. Dimeling	\$6725
Jere Dalley	50
L. E. Boyer	100
J. W. Wang	100
Harry Reidy	100
John Dimeling	1112

Total \$8187
The expenditures by Treasurer John
Dimeling are given as follows:

Transportation	\$3500
Disseminating information	4000
Traveling expenses, postage, printing, etc.	687

Total \$8187
There are no itemized accounts by
either of these committee treasurers.

When will that nation wide boy
cott of eggs at their present price
reach this neck o' woods?

ZELAYA CASE PUT OFF.

It Will Be Heard on Friday in the Dis-
trict Court

New York, Dec. 2.—Argument on the
writ of habeas corpus obtained by
Jose Santos Zelaya, ex-president of
Nicaragua, who is held here on a war-
rant charging "murder and other
crimes" was adjourned before Judge
Holt, in the United States district
court until Friday.

The adjournment according to Ed-
win Johnson, counsel for Zelaya, was
at the request of the authorities in
Washington. Extradition papers not
having arrived from Nicaragua, the
examination before Commissioner
Shields, which was scheduled to take
place, was also adjourned until Fri-
day.

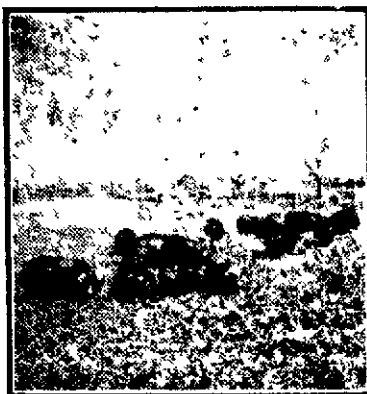
RAISING FALL LITTERS.

With Right Care They May Be Made
Very Profitable.

A subscriber of the Iowa Homestead
whose attitude is favorable to the
practice of raising fall pigs writes as
follows:

I find that I make as much money
from my fall litters as I do from the
spring litters, and now is the time of
year to be thinking of the fall litters.
Sows must be bred early enough in the
summer so that they will not go into
winter before the pigs are farrowed.
Winter pigs should have the same care
as fall pigs, of course, but they do not
have the advantage of the fall pasture
or forage as do earlier pigs. Owing to
this I do not think winter pigs are as
profitable to raise as are spring, sum-
mer or fall pigs.

The greatest disadvantage I have
ever found to fall or winter pigs is
the quarters. Pigs of any age do not
do well if compelled to sleep in a
straw pile, out of doors or in a muddy
shed or damp shed. These conditions
are especially detrimental to young



GIVE THE PIGS PLENTY OF GREEN FEED

pigs. Hogs, and especially young ones,
do not do so well when they sleep on
the ground as when they sleep on a
dry floor, or at least this has always
been my experience.

I prefer my floors not more than six
inches from the ground, as when they
are higher they may be too cold when
the weather is extremely cold.

Of course floors cost money, but they
soon make it back in extra gains in
the pigs' weight. The quarters of
small hogs should be separate from
those of the big hogs, for pigs never
do so well when permitted to sleep in
a heap with large ones.

To be sure there is usually some bad
weather in the fall but we usually
have it as bad and worse in the early

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TRUNKS, BAGS

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like a banker, and make you look
like a New Yorker. Our Clothing
we Guarantee in every respect. It's
to your best interests that you be-
come acquainted with us.

SHAPIRO'S

CLOTHING AND SHOES

HOLIDAY GOODS

spring. In the fall between shower
the pig may be full of his tank with
such green feeds as he likes if they
have been provided. If they have not
been provided he runs out in a dry
lot and the pigs do not grow, and then
usually the pigs are thin and don't
pay.

While the pigs are on the peas and
rape they put up thick winter lots and sow
rape.

This will be a good rich soil for rape
and it will grow rapidly and very rank.
It will not take a very large lot or a
few small ones to afford plenty of
pasture all winter and until rape is
again ready in the spring. This will
keep the pigs growing, if they have
good quarters.

DOLLARS GROW

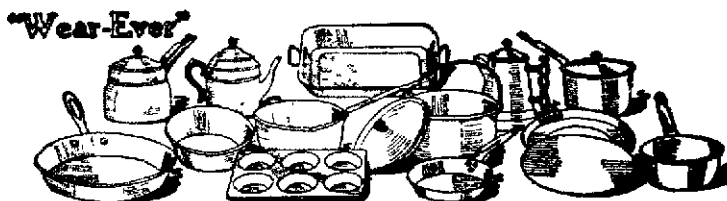
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BECKER RENEWS FIGHT FOR LIFE

Schepps Willing to Say He
Lied For \$10,000.

BEGIN ARGUMENT IN ALBANY

Whitman Not Surprised at "Newly Discovered Evidence"—Schepps Is Warned That Only Way He Can Aid Condemned Man is to Take His Place in Cell—Mrs. Becker at Hearing.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 2. — Argument was begun in the court of appeals upon the appeal of former Police Lieutenant Charles Becker from his conviction of the murder of Herman Rosenthal, for which he is under sentence of death.

This hearing is in no way affected by the news from Paris that Sam Schepps has offered for \$10,000 to make affidavit that his testimony at the Becker trial was perjury and to secure Becker a new trial if not an acquittal. The argument is confined to the legality of Justice Goff's rulings on the trial. If Becker's attorneys should get an important affidavit from

Schepps they would embody it in a motion before Justice Goff for a new trial.

Whitman Not Surprised.

District Attorney Whitman is not surprised that with the arrival of the date of the hearing there should come also the revival of rumors of new found evidence. Among all the winged words, however, there is not one that has not been heard before.

Mr. Whitman makes the point that nothing has been disclosed in the year elapsed since the trial which could not have been produced while the case was before the jury. All the evidence should have gone into the record at that time, he says. In view of all he knows about the case, the district attorney is not giving serious consideration to any of the reports of new evidence.

Only Way Schepps Can Aid.

The only way Schepps can help Becker is to take the former policeman's place in the death cell. This is the opinion of Assistant District Attorney J. Robert Rubin, who helped prepare the case for trial and brought Schepps to New York from Hot Springs, Ark., whither the witness had fled after Rosenthal was killed.

"If Schepps is to clear Becker," said Mr. Rubin, "he must tell a first hand story of the murder and swear that Rosenthal's death was due to another plot and not to the plot arranged by Rose, Vallon and Webber.

"Even if Schepps' new story does not include an admission that he was an accomplice in the murder of Rosenthal—an admission that is necessary if he is to benefit Becker—but is simply an affidavit to the effect that he lied when he testified at Becker's trial,

he will be liable to an indictment for perjury, which likewise is an extraditable offense.

"So far as I can see, Schepps' only chance to help Becker is to trade places with him. However, Schepps has not yet sworn to his story. He does not want to go to jail."

Mrs. Becker attended the session of the court of appeals and heard the argument. This was said to be at the request of her husband.

Cruikshank at Eighty.

"Among the many people whose acquaintance I made in Richardson's rooms was old George Cruikshank. I happened incidentally to remark that I wasn't very well, when Cruikshank in his genial manner exclaimed: 'What? Not well? A powerful young fellow like you ought to be ashamed of yourself to talk of being unwell! Here, let me see you do this.'"

"He sprang up, took the tongs and poked from the fireplace, crossed them on the floor like two swords and then, whistling his own air, danced a highland sword dance with great agility and accuracy, keeping it up for at least a quarter of an hour. As he threw himself into a chair, somewhat exhausted by his efforts, he said, 'Now, then, when I'm dead you can say you saw old Cruikshank when he was over eighty years of age dance the sword dance in Dr. Richardson's room.'"

From "Pages From an Adventurous Life."

Punished the Belfish One.

The Bale-Geneva express, says the London Standard Geneva correspondent, was overcrowded the other day and several travelers had to stand in the corridors of the second class coaches. One tourist saw a sent vacant, but covered with luggage, and asked a passenger sitting near whether the seat was "occupied." "Yes," replied the stranger, "the man is in the restaurant car, and will return soon."

There the matter ended until the express reached Lausanne, when the owner of all the luggage prepared to get out.

"Pardon me," said the tourist, "that luggage does not belong to you," and called the guard. The latter sided with the tourist, and the whole matter was placed before the station master. The

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selfish traveler had to prove, place by place, that the luggage on the seat belonged to him, and he finally was obliged to pay for two second class tickets.

Teaching Him.

Briggs—Did your wife scold you when you went home so late last night? Origgs—You don't know what it is to have a wife who was once a school teacher. Why, she made me write a hundred times on a slate, "I must be home by 10 o'clock."—Exchange.

Soothing.

"Then you refuse to eat my first biscuit?" "I don't refuse to eat it, my dear. I don't want to eat it. I wish to have your monogram engraved on it and then hang it upon my watch chain."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Defining It.

Instructor (at night school)—Give a sentence with the word "metaphysical" in it. Sluggish Haired Pupil—On his way home Mr. Jones metaphysical. Chicago Tribune.

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That which makes thousands, perhaps millions
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ALL DOGS TO BE QUARANTINED

Council Determined to Prevent
Spread of Rabies

TO NAME NEW HEALTH BOARD

President Roseberry to Make Appointment at Next Meeting—Burgess Vetoes Ordinance for Paving an Alley Because More Important Work is Demanded—Snug Balance in Treasury.

Borough council met last evening with eight members present and President Roseberry in the chair.

The borough treasurer reported the most little sum of \$16,057 in the treasury, and the chief of police reported that he had collected fines to the amount of \$12 in November. The borough solicitor turned in \$10.75.

Regarding the presence in the borough of several dogs which are believed to have been bitten by the mad dog that passed through the town some time ago council decided to establish a modified quarantine, but passed a resolution asking Dr. Winner, of the State Live Stock Sanitary board, which has charge of such matters, to establish a comprehensive quarantine taking all dogs in a territory four miles square. The chief of police was directed to lend every possible assistance to Dr. Winner in preventing the spread of rabies in the borough.

The borough solicitor told council that under a new act of assembly it is incumbent upon the borough council to appoint an entirely new board of health. President Roseberry stated that he would make the appointment at the next meeting of council and asked members of that body to suggest the names of citizens who would perform the duties of members of the board.

The secretary of the board of health reported that during November there were five cases of contagious disease—three of chicken pox and two of diphtheria; also that there had been no violations of the health rules during the month.

Citizens who allow the steam exhaust to drip into the gutters will be notified to make connections of steam pipes with sewers.

Burgess Woodward returned to council without his approval the ordinance provided for the paving of an alley leading from Third street to the intersecting alley between Pine and Reed streets. The burgess gave as his reasons for vetoing this ordinance that the alley was small and unimportant; that to pave it would benefit only private persons and not the public, and that there are other far more important improvements which should be made before the alleys are paved. He declared that he was opposed to frittering away the people's money on useless work when so many improvements of a public nature were demanding attention.

Secretary Connolly was directed to request the Penn Public Service company to turn on the street lights a half hour earlier in the evening and let them burn a half hour later in the morning. The lights now burn from 5:30 P. M. to 6:30 A. M.

Council then adjourned to meet on December 15, probably the last meeting until the reorganization of the new council on the first Monday in January.

Just in at William F. Powell's Hardware store on Second street a fine assortment of the "Pure Aluminum 1892 Ware", most acceptable as Christmas gifts. Come in and see "The Ware that Wears."

The first meeting of the Bridge club for the benefit of the Hospital will be held at the residence of R. C. Wright on Thursday, Dec. 11, at 3 o'clock. After the meetings will be every alternate Friday. All persons wishing to join will please send their names in early. 6t. Dec. 2.

Stenographer Wanted—Young man who is efficient in stenography and typewriting may secure a good position by applying at the office of the Chamber of Commerce of Clearfield. Nov. 29. 3t.

You will find all kinds of useful gifts for Christmas at William Powell's Hardware store. Why not be a Spieg?

SURPRISE PARTY

Given in Honor of Mrs. Charles Kurtz Saturday Evening.

On Saturday evening a birthday surprise party was given in honor of Mrs. Charles T. Kurtz, at her home on West Front street. The evening was spent in playing auction bridge. Delicious refreshments were served and a huge birthday cake decorated with candles adorned the center of the table.

The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Singleton Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Guernsey Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Liveright, Mrs. Will Kurtz, Miss Doreline, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Breck, Sewickly.

Ill of Ivy Poisoning.

Ex-Sheriff Mahaffey, of the Windsor hotel, is confined to his room suffering from ivy poisoning contracted while on a visit to Mahaffey.

SCHOOL DIRECTORS WILL HOLD MEETING

County Convention Fixed for
December 17--18

The eleventh annual convention of the Clearfield County School Directors association will be held in connection with the county teachers institute will open on Wednesday, December 17 and last two days. The officers of the association are:

President—Rev. J. A. Beal.
Vice Presidents—B. P. Williams, Singleton Bell, Esq.
Secretary—A. G. Kramer, Esq.
Treasurer—George J. Weber.

The program follows:
Wednesday, 10:30 A. M. Enrollment of delegates, treasurer's report, president's address, election of officers.

Thursday, 1:30 P. M.—Discussion "Should the tenth consecutive employment of a teacher in a district be a permanent employment in said district?" Opened by D. B. Hille, A. G.

Discussion, "Should the medical inspection in the third and fourth class districts be compulsory, the same as in the first and second class districts?" Opened by Dr. J. Frank Rowles, Dr. W. S. Bryan.

Discussion, "Should the parents of the children found defective by the medical inspector be required by law to make an effort to cure or relieve such defect; in case of inability of parents to do so, should the district be authorized to do so at public expense?" Opened by Perry Straw, Singleton Bell, Esq.

Thursday 9 A. M.—Discussion, "Would it be more beneficial to the teachers and to the schools to have the institute held at or about the commencement of the school term?" Opened by James Mitchell, George J. Weber.

Discussion, "The parents' responsibility to the school board in the enforcement of the compulsory school law." Opened by William Wingert, Joseph D. Knepp.

Discussion, "Should the directors receive a compensation of \$2 per day for 12 monthly meetings during the school year?" Opened by T. M. Davidson, William T. Thorp.

Report on teachers' and directors' monthly meetings, S. H. Sunderlin. Reports of committees.

CLOVER HILL

Miss Irene Hauck was in Clearfield Saturday.

G. Z. Ogden is here from the west visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Luella Bloom visited relatives at Curwensville a few days last week.

Misses Cora, Mary and Annie Ardary were shopping in Clearfield Saturday.

Mrs. Luella Bloom and two little daughters, Hazel and Wava called on Mrs. Amos Read Sunday afternoon.

The Misses Hummel and Miss Kirk spent Saturday evening with the McCracken young folks.

Misses Pearl Lippert and Ruth Mapes and Miss Long visited the Clover Hill school Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hemphill and son Dewhurst, from Hyde City, and their grand daughter, Dorothy Stubbs, from Clearfield, spent Thanksgiving with Amos Read and family.

Ireland.

The population of Ireland in 1901 was 281 to the square mile; now it is 144 only.

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and Navy.

WHAT THE CANAL HAS COST

Army Appropriations Include Military Aeronautics, Organized Militia, Fortifications and Artillery—Panama Canal Needs \$26,000,000 More—McAdoo Wants \$1,500,000 to Collect Income Tax and an Additional Assistant Secretary—Money Wanted For Investigations, Public Buildings and River and Harbor Work.

Washington, Dec. 2.—Congress is asked to appropriate just \$1,108,081,777 to operate the government of the United States during the fiscal year 1915, according to the estimates prepared by each department and sent to the house by W. G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury. This includes maintenance of the battleships and forts of the army, the courts of justice and the projects to discover new ways in which to better health and improve living conditions.

The estimates submitted are \$22,864,087 in excess of the appropriations for the last fiscal year, but their total falls \$39,255,068 below the estimates for that year. The estimates are as follows:

Legislative establishment	\$7,533,331
Executive establishment	20,808,268
Judicial establishment	1,242,110
Department of agriculture	19,063,332
Postoffice department, including parcel post	306,963,111
Foreign intercourse	4,427,042
Military establishment	106,397,544
Naval establishment	129,821,563
Indian affairs	10,238,886
Deacons	169,150,000
Public works	97,917,592
Miscellaneous	24,338,213
Permanent annual appropriations	123,196,407

For the preservation and completion of vessels already in commission or authorized the navy department wants \$3,250,000; for the hulls and machinery of two battleships and eight torpedo boat destroyers, which Secretary Daniels wishes to build in the fiscal year 1914-15, \$7,800,000 is wanted; for naval defense mines and other items of defense, \$10,091,000.

The estimates for the organized militia are larger by many millions than in previous years. Sums of \$1,350,000 for field camps of instruction, \$404,250 for equipment of coast artillery, armories, \$2,100,000 for field artillery material and \$3,000,000 for ammunition for such artillery are asked.

For armament in fortifications the estimate is \$5,806,800, an increase of more than \$3,000,000 over last year. This \$3,000,000 is to be expended in the purchase, manufacture and test of ammunition for mountain, field and siege cannon.

For Panama Canal. Although the Panama canal probably will be in operation long before the close of the fiscal year of 1915, the war department estimates that \$26,326,965 must be appropriated for the canal that year, which is about \$5,000,000 more than the current appropriation. According to the estimates, the number of the employees in the organization through the 1914 fiscal year was 22,000, while in the fiscal year of 1915 the number will be about 18,700.

Regular Term Begins. Congress has settled down to the second stage of what promises to be the longest continuous session in its history. The regular December session, following without a break upon the heels of the long extra session that has run since April 7, brought to tired lawmakers a host of new problems and the prospect of steady work for many months.

There was little formality about the ushering in of the new congress at noon. Its advent was marked by the fall of the gavel in each house, with the announcement of the presiding officer that the regular session of the Sixty-third congress had begun.

A widespread demand for tickets for the house gallery for Tuesday's session indicated the interest that centers about President Wilson's reappearance at the capital to deliver a presidential address. The president will read his first general message to congress at a joint session of the two houses, and it was expected that he would touch upon many of the problems to be taken up at the new session.

The senate practically merged the old session into the new one by meeting to wind up the work of the special session.

Serviceable Manicure Sets, Safety Razors, Pocket Knives, Scissors in sets, Chaffing Dishes, Electric Irons and Percolators have just been received at William Powell's Store on Second street, Dec. 2. 4t

Have you seen the new case of Bath room fixtures at William Powell's hardware store.

OBITUARY

Caroline, wife of William Goss, died at her home at Hastings, at 5 o'clock Tuesday evening, Nov. 8, of bright disease. Aged 70 years 1 month and 4 days.

Deceased's maiden name was Caroline Westbrook and she was born in Huntingdon on October 14, 1843. She was married to William Goss in Wallacetown, Clearfield county, on February 22, 1858. They came to Hastings in 1890 and have resided here for 23 years.

Besides her husband Mrs. Goss is survived by these children: Mrs. Marshall McHenry, of Hastings, Frank, of West Virginia, Mrs. Louis Stowe, of Brubbin, Elmer, of Ex-pedit, Mrs. Joseph Chase of Clearfield, Harry, of Clover; Jackson, of Garrett, and Mrs. Stephen Ross, of Ex-pedit. She is also survived by 43 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

The funeral services were held in the Methodist Episcopal church on Friday at ten o'clock, conducted by her pastor, Rev. W. F. D. Noble, who spoke of the religious life to the service of the Master.

She identified herself with the United Brethren church but not finding a church of that denomination in Hastings she joined the Methodist Episcopal church, of which she was a devoted member at the time of her death.

Thus for fifty-eight years she was a follower of the meek and lowly One and "she is not dead, but sleepeth."

ONLY FEW CASES DOWN FOR TRIAL

Mrs. John O. Keeler's Suit is
Among Them

Of the cases down on the list to day the following were continued:

John Chase et al vs. New York Central and Hudson River Railroad company, trespass; Eva McCloskey et al. vs. John M. Healey, trespass; F. B. Hewitt vs. Abbie Weed appeal; American Cash Register Co. vs. David Bailey, appeal; F. D. Beyer vs. Ella J. Mount, assumption; George J. Ferguson vs. R. H. Mull, assumption; St. Marys Sewer Pipe Co. vs. Cummings & Johnson, assumption; David Witherow, vs. Quinn & Co., incorporated, trespass.

Marked for trial—Louisa Moyer vs. Harry Poorman, appeal; Lane Coal Co. vs. Penfield Coal and Coke Co., assumption; George Koplan vs. Harry Schwartz, assumption; F. M. Swoope et al. vs. W. D. Walker, assumption; J. A. McClelland vs. William H. Hughes et al. ejectment; Mitchell Graffius vs. Williams-grove Brick Co., trespass; Annie Keeler vs. County of Clearfield, assumption.

For argument—W. C. Lukens vs. Dr. J. S. Waterworth, trespass. In the suit of Mrs. Annie Keeler against the county of Clearfield the plaintiff seeks to recover from the county the reward the county commissioners offered for the apprehension of her husband, the murderer of Joseph Roessner, the brewer, in the latter's brewery in Clearfield last year. The trial of this case will be watched with interest, in view of the fact that Mrs. Keeler's husband is now awaiting the death penalty in the county jail.

The case of Harris vs. Swoope the first to be placed on trial Monday occupied all of Monday afternoon and this morning. The case was given to the jury this afternoon.

DEATHS OF A DAY.

Thomas F. Kulewski, sixty-two, consulting engineer and inventor, died at New York city.

Herman Walker, sixty-three, died at Alpine, N. J. He was at one time mayor of Guttenberg, N. J.

Manager Giacchi of the Theatre Colon, at Buenos Aires, while at Milan, Italy, assembling a company, died there suddenly.

William Slaylock, seventy-eight, father of David H. Slaylock, mayor elect of Verona, N. J., died at Verona. He had lived there for fifty years.

Professor Edwinworth C. Phelps, eighty-six, well known composer, organist and music teacher in Brooklyn schools for over thirty-five years, is dead.

Samuel W. Beidon, fifty-three, a prominent New Jersey lawyer and chief counsel for the Fidelity Trust company of Newark, died at East Orange, N. J.

Terrence J. McDonald, sixty-nine, once a representative in the New Jersey legislature and past commander of the G. A. R. of that state, died at Jersey City.

HUERTA FLEES COUNTRY, REPORT

Dictator Said to Have Skipped
Out of Mexico.

FEARED FATE OF MADERO.

Several Other Presidents of Mexico Have Fled Through Some Port Country in State of Tense Excitement Over Rumor—Constitutionalists Closing In on Capital.

Mexico City, Dec. 2.—General Victoriano Huerta, provisional president of Mexico, who has been defying President Wilson and the whole United States for several months, has fled from the capital, according to a report which came from a creditable source.

The hour of Huerta's departure is given as 4 o'clock in the morning, and his destination is said to be the port of Vera Cruz, from which many prominent Mexicans have sailed into exile. It was at Vera Cruz that General Porfirio Diaz, former president of Mexico, shook the dust of this country from his feet when Francisco I. Madero drew near Mexico City with his victorious army.

If the report of Huerta's flight is true it can mean nothing else than that he has decided to surrender to the United States and step down from the presidency of Mexico, the office which he seized shortly after the tragic death of President Madero and Vice President Suarez. President Wilson has demanded that Huerta quit the presidency and arrange that no one intimately associated with him be placed in the executive chair.

The whole capital was intensely excited over the rumor of Huerta's secret leave taking, and every one was awaiting confirmation of the report. The general belief was that the dictator reached the decision to surrender to the United States government upon realizing that he was unable to quell the revolution.

Hale Reports to Wilson.

Washington, Dec. 2.—Information as to just what manner of man Carranza, the Mexican Constitutional leader, really is and just what his plans are should his revolution succeed were to be placed before President Wilson by Dr. William Bayard Hale.

It developed that President Wilson sent Hale to northern Mexico to investigate reports that Carranza was merely a figurehead in the revolutionary movement.

Outside of the arrival of Dr. Hale there were no developments in the Mexican situation. The president told callers that the situation was working out exactly as he hoped. He believes that the elimination of Huerta is now a certainty.

Admiral Fletcher sent a wireless message to the navy department saying that he had received from General Aguilar, the rebel leader, renewed assurances that the property of foreigners in the Tuxpan oil region would be protected.

Setting Him Right.

They were enjoying a motor ride and had just entered a country road.

"May I kiss your hand?" he asked, a little confusedly.

She removed her veil.

"No," she replied. "I have my gloves on."—Lippincott's Magazine.

NEW INDICTMENTS ARE NOW EXPECTED

December Grand Jury in New
York Hears Testimony.

New York, Dec. 2.—The indictment of at least one man, formerly of high rank in the police department, and possibly of two others of lesser importance was expected to be returned by the December grand jury, which was sworn in.

The evidence taken by the previous grand jury will be submitted by District Attorney Whitman or his assistant, Mr. Groehl. This evidence dealt with the operations of a retired police captain with the wireless wire tappers, who fleeced a Pittsburgh man out of \$20,000.

The district attorney is reported to have strong evidence against other men, but indictments against them may be held back in the hope that fresh evidence may develop after the indictment of the first police official.

Contrary to reports, James K. McGuire, formerly mayor of Syracuse, who has been indicted in the contractor graft probe, did not arrive in this city on board the New York and Porto Rico line steamship the Brazos, from Porto Rico.

MRS. CATT AND DR. SHAW

Leading Figures at 45th
Annual Convention of
American Suffragists.



Photos by American Press Association.

The forty-fifth annual convention of the National American Woman's Suffrage association is now in session in Washington. "All that we ask of men is what Disraeli asked of Alexander, and that is that they get out of our sunshine," said Dr. Anna Shaw, the president, in her opening address. Dr. Shaw is shown below in the picture, while at the top is Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, who is president of the International Suffrage association and likewise is taking a leading part in the convention. Mrs. Catt has recently started a new campaign for votes for women in New York state.

STOVER IS FOUND IN NEW ORLEANS

Report That Missing Man Is
Taking a Vacation.

New York, Dec. 2.—A dispatch received by an afternoon newspaper from New Orleans states that Charles B. Stover, the missing former park commissioner of this city, is there on a vacation and does not know when he will get back to New York. The dispatch says Stover expects to see Florida before starting north.

When he was questioned about his decidedly unusual manner of departure he is quoted as saying:

"I had been thinking of taking a vacation for some time before I started. I had had no vacation in seven or eight years of office, and I see no reason why such a vacation should have been made over my taking a rest. But I have settled that that now by sending my resignation as park commissioner to Mayor Kline."

According to the dispatch, Mr. Stover seems well and hearty and was much amused when he was told that some time after he disappeared some of his friends went to Wilmington, Del., to see if a body found in the river there was his. He merely remarked, "Foolish of them, foolish!"

Commissioner Stover left his desk in the arsenal in Central park on Oct. 15, and, although his picture has been flashed in 10,000 moving picture places and news of his disappearance has gone all over the country, his whereabouts and the reason for his departure have hitherto remained a mystery.

On Nov. 22 former Commissioner of Licenses John N. Bognart was said to have been seen and talked with Mr. Stover in Washington.

TELEGRAPHIC TICKS.

Cincinnati saloons were closed Sunday for the first time in fifty years, due to a new license law.

Edward C. Manchester was captured in Newport, R. I. He killed his brother in North Dartmouth.

Edward Waddell was fatally shot in Philadelphia. It is believed he was mistaken for another.

Pencils, redistributed each morning to pupils, was held responsible for diphtheria epidemic at a Buffalo (Conn.) school.

Albert Goldring, Ernest Hilliard's partner, was held by Franklin (M. E.) authorities following Hilliard's death by shooting.

Mrs. Joseph Kestrock of Stevens Point, Wis., gave birth to her twenty-third child. "I want a nice large family," said her husband.

The Rev. J. E. Conner of North Hartington, N. Y., gave a man \$5 to go and move his family. While the minister was in church the man returned and stole \$5 more.

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COMING EVENTS.

Bazaar, Y. M. C. A. hall, Dec. 6.
County Institute, Dec. 15-19.
Trinity Ladies Aid business meet-
ing, Dec. 4.
Y. M. C. A. Womens Auxiliary
meet to arrange for reception, Dec.
2.

Good evening! This would be a
pretty good evening upon which to
decide to do your Christmas shopping
tomorrow.

Almost any boy big enough to han-
dle a gun could give the state game
commission some reliable informa-
tion relative to game in this state
but such a boy would not go to the
game wardens for facts.

In the meantime, contribute some-
thing toward the support of the
Clearfield hospital and relieve that
institution of its present financial em-
barassment.

The fight between the two Democra-
tic factions in this state will center
upon the candidate for governor next
year. It's a much colder day than
this when the state Democrats are
not engaged in an intermachine strug-
gle for supremacy.

It is probable that the new em-
ployment law affecting women will be
amended in several features at the
next session of the legislature. As
the law now stands many women will
be out of work inside of a year.

Some would-be landlords will be
surprised when they learn that 1
quor licenses will not be handed out
by the wholesale next March.

Beautiful India.

India bears the same relation to the
orient that Italy does to Europe. It
is the home of palaces, temples and
monuments. It is the home of beautiful
art work in many materials. Most of
its cities have a splendid historical
past that is seen in richly ornament-
ed temples and shrines in the tombs
of its illustrious dead and in palaces
that surpass in beauty of decoration
anything which Europe can boast.
"The Critic in the Orient."

CHARLES BECKER.

Hopes For New Trial
Based on Testimony to
Be Given by Schepps.



Photos by American Press Association

On the decision by the court of appeals
in the Becker case rests the fate of the
condemned murderer. And on the confi-
dence placed in the testimony to be given
by Sam Schepps, Jack Rose's lobbyist,
will in a large measure depend whether
or not a new trial is to be granted. The
district attorney does not place much faith
in the new story by Schepps. Becker is
shown in the large picture, and below is
Schepps.

TREASURERS FILE THEIR ACCOUNTS

Over \$9000 Spent by Messrs.
Dimeling and Forsythe

Late Monday afternoon the state-
ments of two treasurers of com-
mittees appointed to aid in the elec-
tion of Singleton Bell to the judge-
ship were filed in the prothonotary's
office. John C. Forsythe, one of
these treasurers reported the con-
tribution of \$2565, of which George
M. Dimeling gave \$2065. The ex-
penditures under Mr. Forsythe's
management were as follows:

Labor performed and transporta-
tion, \$1500.
Stationery, postage and dissemina-
ting information, \$1065
The other committee, headed by
John Dimeling, received contributions
as follows:

George M. Dimeling	\$6721
Jere Dalley	50
L. E. Boyer	100
J. W. Wang	100
Harry Reidy	100
John Dimeling	1112

Total \$8187
The expenditures by Treasurer John
Dimeling are given as follows:

Transportation	\$3500
Disseminating information	4000
Traveling expenses, postage, printing, etc.	687

Total \$8187
There are no itemized accounts by
either of these committee treasurers.

When will that nation wide boy
cott of eggs at their present price
reach this neck o' woods?

ZELAYA CASE PUT OFF.

It Will Be Heard on Friday in the Dis-
trict Court

New York, Dec. 2.—Argument on the
writ of habeas corpus obtained by
Jose Santos Zelaya, ex-president of
Nicaragua, who is held here on a war-
rant charging "murder and other
crimes" was adjourned before Judge
Holt, in the United States district
court until Friday.

The adjournment according to Ed-
win Johnson, counsel for Zelaya, was
at the request of the authorities in
Washington. Extradition papers not
having arrived from Nicaragua, the
examination before Commissioner
Shields, which was scheduled to take
place, was also adjourned until Fri-
day.

RAISING FALL LITTERS.

With Right Care They May Be Made
Very Profitable.

A subscriber of the Iowa Homestead
whose attitude is favorable to the
practice of raising fall pigs writes as
follows:

I find that I make as much money
from my fall litters as I do from the
spring litters, and now is the time of
year to be thinking of the fall litters.
Sows must be bred early enough in the
summer so that they will not go into
winter before the pigs are farrowed.
Winter pigs should have the same care
as fall pigs, of course, but they do not
have the advantage of the fall pasture
or forage as do earlier pigs. Owing to
this I do not think winter pigs are as
profitable to raise as are spring, sum-
mer or fall pigs.

The greatest disadvantage I have
ever found to fall or winter pigs is
the quarters. Pigs of any age do not
do well if compelled to sleep in a
straw pile, out of doors or in a muddy
shed or damp shed. These conditions
are especially detrimental to young



GIVE THE PIGS PLENTY OF GREEN FEED

pigs. Hogs, and especially young ones,
do not do so well when they sleep on
the ground as when they sleep on a
dry floor, or at least this has always
been my experience.

I prefer my floors not more than six
inches from the ground, as when they
are higher they may be too cold when
the weather is extremely cold.

Of course floors cost money, but they
soon make it back in extra gains in
the pigs' weight. The quarters of
small hogs should be separate from
those of the big hogs for pigs never
do so well when permitted to sleep in
a heap with large ones.

To be sure there is usually some bad
weather in the fall but we usually
have it as bad and worse in the early

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spring. In the fall between shower
the pig may be full of his tank with
such green feeds as he likes if they
have been provided. If they have not
been provided he runs out in a dry
lot and the pigs do not grow, and then
usually the pigs are thin and don't
pay.

While the pigs are on the peas and
rape they put up thick winter lots and sow
rape.

This will be a good rich soil for rape
and it will grow rapidly and very rank.
It will not take a very large lot or a
few small ones to afford plenty of
pasture all winter and until rape is
again ready in the spring. This will
keep the pigs growing, if they have
good quarters.

DOLLARS GROW

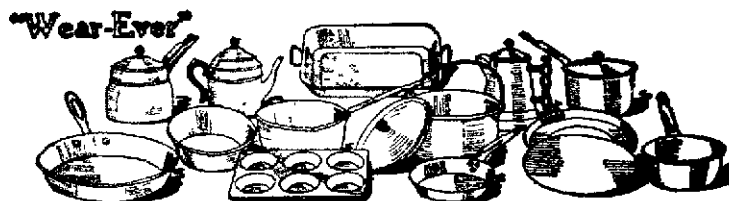
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BEGIN ARGUMENT IN ALBANY

Whitman Not Surprised at "Newly Discovered Evidence"—Schepps Is Warned That Only Way He Can Aid Condemned Man is to Take His Place in Cell—Mrs. Becker at Hearing.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 2. — Argument was begun in the court of appeals upon the appeal of former Police Lieutenant Charles Becker from his conviction of the murder of Herman Rosenthal, for which he is under sentence of death.

This hearing is in no way affected by the news from Paris that Sam Schepps has offered for \$10,000 to make affidavit that his testimony at the Becker trial was perjury and to secure Becker a new trial if not an acquittal. The argument is confined to the legality of Justice Goff's rulings on the trial. If Becker's attorneys should get an important affidavit from

Schepps they would embody it in a motion before Justice Goff for a new trial.

Whitman Not Surprised.

District Attorney Whitman is not surprised that with the arrival of the date of the hearing there should come also the revival of rumors of new found evidence. Among all the winged words, however, there is not one that has not been heard before.

Mr. Whitman makes the point that nothing has been disclosed in the year elapsed since the trial which could not have been produced while the case was before the jury. All the evidence should have gone into the record at that time, he says. In view of all he knows about the case, the district attorney is not giving serious consideration to any of the reports of new evidence.

Only Way Schepps Can Aid.

The only way Schepps can help Becker is to take the former policeman's place in the death cell. This is the opinion of Assistant District Attorney J. Robert Rubin, who helped prepare the case for trial and brought Schepps to New York from Hot Springs, Ark., whither the witness had fled after Rosenthal was killed.

"If Schepps is to clear Becker," said Mr. Rubin, "he must tell a first hand story of the murder and swear that Rosenthal's death was due to another plot and not to the plot arranged by Rose, Vallon and Webber.

"Even if Schepps' new story does not include an admission that he was an accomplice in the murder of Rosenthal—an admission that is necessary if he is to benefit Becker—but is simply an affidavit to the effect that he lied when he testified at Becker's trial,

he will be liable to an indictment for perjury, which likewise is an extraordinary offense.

"So far as I can see, Schepps' only chance to help Becker is to trade places with him. However, Schepps has not yet sworn to his story. He does not want to go to jail."

Mrs. Becker attended the session of the court of appeals and heard the argument. This was said to be at the request of her husband.

Cruikshank at Eighty.

"Among the many people whose acquaintance I made in Richardson's rooms was old George Cruikshank. I happened incidentally to remark that I wasn't very well, when Cruikshank in his genial manner exclaimed: 'What? Not well? A powerful young fellow like you ought to be ashamed of yourself to talk of being unwell! Here, let me see you do this.'"

"He sprang up, took the tongs and poked from the fireplace, crossed them on the floor like two swords and then, whistling his own air, danced a highland sword dance with great agility and accuracy, keeping it up for at least a quarter of an hour. As he threw himself into a chair, somewhat exhausted by his efforts, he said, 'Now, then, when I'm dead you can say you saw old Cruikshank when he was over eighty years of age dance the sword dance in Dr. Richardson's room.'"

From "Pages From an Adventurous Life."

Punished the Belfish One.

The Bale-Geneva express, says the London Standard Geneva correspondent, was overcrowded the other day and several travelers had to stand in the corridors of the second class coaches. One tourist saw a sent vacant, but covered with luggage, and asked a passenger sitting near whether the seat was "occupied." "Yes," replied the stranger, "the man is in the restaurant car, and will return soon."

There the matter ended until the express reached Lausanne, when the owner of all the luggage prepared to get out.

"Pardon me," said the tourist, "that luggage does not belong to you," and called the guard. The latter sided with the tourist, and the whole matter was placed before the station master. The

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Teaching Him.

Briggs—Did your wife scold you when you went home so late last night? Origgs—You don't know what it is to have a wife who was once a school teacher. Why, she made me write a hundred times on a slate, "I must be home by 10 o'clock."—Exchange.

Soothing.

"Then you refuse to eat my first biscuit?" "I don't refuse to eat it, my dear. I don't want to eat it. I wish to have your monogram engraved on it and then hang it upon my watch chain."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Defining It.

Instructor (at night school)—Give a sentence with the word "metaphysical" in it. Sluggish Haired Pupil—On his way home Mr. Jones metaphysical. Chicago Tribune.

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